



## Nebraska Client Assistance Program

### Hotline for Disability Services

#### **Contact the Nebraska Hotline for Disabilities**

The Hotline for Disability Services

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### **EDUCATIONQUEST FOUNDATION**

#### **Description:**

FREE SERVICE THAT HELPS NEBRASKA STUDENTS PLAN AND PAY FOR COLLEGE. COMPLETE AND FILE FINANCIAL AID APPLICATIONS, LOOK FOR SCHOLARSHIPS, RESEARCH COLLEGES AND PREPARE FOR THE ADMISSIONS PROCESS. FUND NEED-BASED SCHOLARSHIP AND COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAMS, AND PROVIDE FREE COLLEGE PLANNING SERVICES AT LOCATIONS IN KEARNEY, LINCOLN AND OMAHA. 1) EDUCATIONAL AWARD PROGRAM - ADDRESSES THE SEVERE SHORTAGE OF NEED-BASED AID IN NEBRASKA. ASSISTS STATE'S NON-PROFIT COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES FOR DISTRIBUTION TO NEEDY UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS. THE FUND ALSO HELPS STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES, MINORITY STUDENTS AND THOSE WITH EXTRAORDINARY FAMILY CHALLENGES. 2) REACHING YOUR POTENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - TARGETS NEBRASKANS WHO FACE OBSTACLES TO HIGHER EDUCATION (EX: SINGLE MOTHERS WHO STRUGGLE TO SUPPORT THEIR CHILDREN, VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, YOUNG PEOPLE WHO GREW UP IN FOSTER CARE AND IMMIGRANTS TRYING TO EARN A LIVING). MUST BE REFERRED BY A COMMUNITY AGENCY OR COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE.

#### **Eligibility:**

ANYONE NEEDING FINANCIAL AID ASSISTANCE OR INFORMATION

#### **List of Provided Services:**

**Education:** Educational Support, Financial Education

**Information and Referral:** Information and Referral

#### **Contact Information:**

##### **Address:**

1300 'O' ST.

Lincoln NE 68508

**Hours of Operation:** 8:30-5:00 MONDAY-FRIDAY

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## **General Information**

**Agency ID:** 1293

**Counties Served:**

Adams, Antelope, Arthur, Banner, Blaine, Boone, Box Butte, Boyd, Brown, Buffalo, Burt, Butler, Cass, Cedar, Chase, Cherry, Cheyenne, Clay, Colfax, Cuming, Custer, Dakota, Dawes, Dawson, Deuel, Dixon, Dodge, Douglas, Dundy, Fillmore, Franklin, Frontier, Furnas, Gage, Garden, Garfield, Gosper, Grant, Greeley, Hall, Hamilton, Harlan, Hayes, Hitchcock, Holt, Hooker, Howard, Jefferson, Johnson, Kearney, Keith, Keya Paha, Kimball, Knox, Lancaster, Lincoln, Logan, Loup, Madison, McPherson, Merrick, Morrill, Nance, Nemaha, Nuckolls, Otoe, Pawnee, Perkins, Phelps, Pierce, Platte, Polk, Red Willow, Richardson, Rock, Saline, Sarpy, Saunders, Scotts Bluff, Seward, Sheridan, Sherman, Sioux, Stanton, Thayer, Thomas, Thurston, Valley, Washington, Wayne, Webster, Wheeler, York

**Ages Served:** All Ages

**Disabilities Served:**

Alcohol/Drug, BIMl (Behavioral Impairment/Mental Illness), Brain Injury/Head Injury, DD (Developmental Disability including MR), Hearing Impairment, LD (Learning Disability), OHI - Other Health Impairment, Orthopedic, Speech Disability, Visual Disability

**Wheelchair Accessible:** Yes

**Fees:** NONE

**Sliding Fee Schedule:** Yes

**Interpreters on Staff:**

Spanish

**How to Appeal a Decision:**

DIRECTOR